TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



SB 1026 - HB 1504

February 27, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Reduces the offense of unauthorized practice of medicine from a Class B to a Class C misdemeanor.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for state or local government to experience any significant impact on revenue or expenditures.
- Fines collected for this offense are paid to the Board of Medical Examiners. The Board will not experience any significant change in fine revenue.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-1011, all health-related boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. As of June 30, 2010, the Board had a balance of \$890,444.43.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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